



# Economic Growth Region 11

Statistical Data Report for February 2016, Released April 2016

## Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were little changed in February. Twenty-two states had unemployment rate decreases from January, eight states had increases, and 20 states and the District of Columbia had no change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Thirty-seven states and the District of Columbia had unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier, 10 states had increases, and three states had no change. The national jobless rate, 4.9 percent, was unchanged from January and was 0.6 percentage point lower than in February 2015.

New Hampshire and South Dakota had the lowest jobless rates in February, 2.7 percent each, followed by North Dakota, 2.9 percent. Alaska had the highest rate, 6.6 percent, closely followed by Mississippi and West Virginia, 6.5 percent each. The District of Columbia also had an unemployment rate of 6.5 percent. In total, 18 states had unemployment rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 4.9 percent, 11 states and the District of Columbia had measurably higher rates, and 21 states had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation.



## Economic Growth Region (EGR) 11

Dubois, Gibson, Knox, Perry, Pike, Posey, Spencer, Vanderburgh and Warrick Counties.

## Unemployment Rates by State – February 2016 (seasonally adjusted)

### Indiana - 4.7%

Illinois - 6.4%  
Kentucky - 5.8%  
Michigan - 4.8%  
Ohio - 4.9%  
U.S. - 4.9%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

## Unemployment Rate by County – February 2016 (high to low)

36	<b>Perry</b>	5.9%
47	<b>Pike</b>	5.4%
50	<b>Knox</b>	5.3%
52	<b>Spencer</b>	5.3%
65	<b>Vanderburgh</b>	4.9%
71	<b>Warrick</b>	4.7%
76	<b>Posey</b>	4.6%
82	<b>Gibson</b>	4.4%
91	<b>Dubois</b>	3.9%

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

## February 2016 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)

Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Feb 2016 Rate	Jan 2016 Rate	Feb 2015 Rate
<b>U.S.</b>	158,279,000	150,060,000	8,219,000	5.2%	5.3%	5.8%
<b>IN</b>	3,312,468	3,132,454	180,014	5.4%	5.1%	5.6%
<b>EGR 11</b>	224,189	213,428	10,761	4.8%	4.6%	4.7%
<b>Evansville MSA</b>	157,554	149,749	7,805	5.0%	4.7%	4.8%
<b>Dubois Co.</b>	22,650	21,768	882	3.9%	3.8%	3.9%
<b>Gibson Co.</b>	19,272	18,421	851	4.4%	4.2%	4.3%
<b>Knox Co.</b>	19,359	18,335	1,024	5.3%	5.0%	5.0%
<b>Perry Co.</b>	9,434	8,875	559	5.9%	5.5%	5.4%
<b>Pike Co.</b>	6,136	5,803	333	5.4%	5.2%	5.0%
<b>Posey Co.</b>	13,281	12,674	607	4.6%	4.4%	4.4%
<b>Spencer Co.</b>	10,536	9,977	559	5.3%	5.0%	5.2%
<b>Vanderburgh Co.</b>	92,162	87,687	4,475	4.9%	4.6%	4.8%
<b>Warrick Co.</b>	31,359	29,888	1,471	4.7%	4.5%	4.7%
<b>Boonville</b>	3,081	2,889	192	6.2%	5.9%	5.9%
<b>Evansville</b>	58,829	55,793	3,036	5.2%	4.9%	5.1%
<b>Jasper</b>	8,303	8,013	290	3.5%	3.4%	3.6%
<b>Mount Vernon</b>	3,216	3,063	153	4.8%	4.8%	4.4%
<b>Petersburg</b>	1,008	941	67	6.6%	6.0%	6.0%
<b>Princeton</b>	4,684	4,433	251	5.4%	5.1%	5.0%
<b>Rockport</b>	872	818	54	6.2%	5.0%	6.5%
<b>Tell City</b>	3,866	3,663	203	5.3%	4.8%	4.9%
<b>Vincennes</b>	8,145	7,663	482	5.9%	5.5%	5.7%

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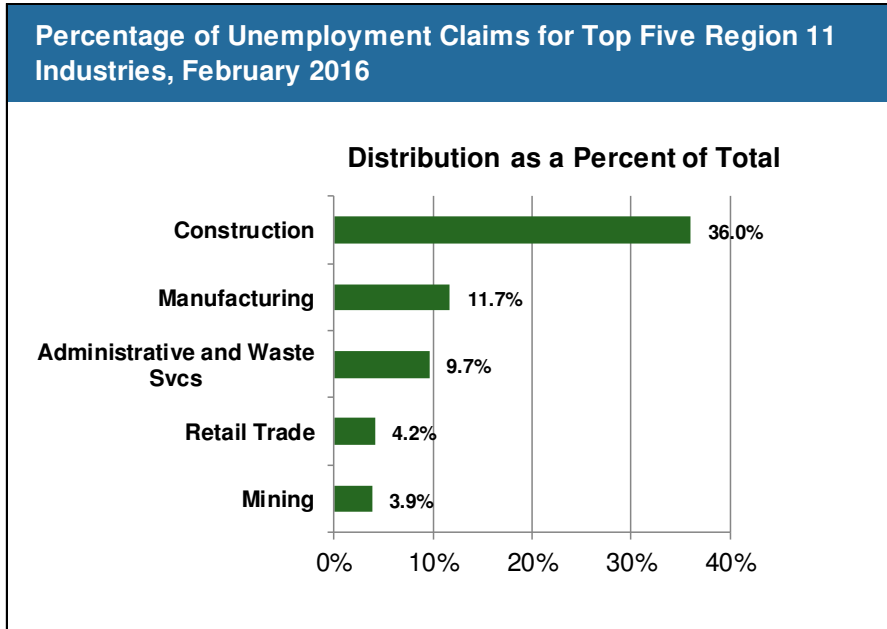
Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Notes: The data displayed are presented as estimates only. The most recent month's data are always preliminary and are revised when the next month's data are released.

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to February 2016 from:				
	U.S. City		Midwest Region*	
CPI Item	Feb-15	Jan-16	Feb-15	Jan-16
<b>All Items</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
Food & Beverages	0.9%	0.1%	0.7%	-0.2%
Housing	2.1%	0.2%	1.6%	0.2%
Apparel	0.9%	3.0%	1.1%	2.2%
Transportation	-3.4%	-1.5%	-5.2%	-1.8%
Medical Care	3.5%	0.9%	3.5%	0.5%
Recreation	0.9%	0.5%	0.4%	0.8%
Education & Communication	1.2%	-0.2%	0.5%	-0.3%
Other Goods & Services	1.9%	0.1%	2.0%	0.4%

\*Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

WARN Notices for Region 11 - February 2016			
Company	City	Affected Workers	Notice Date
Alcoa Warrick Operations	Newburgh	600	2/5/2016

Source: Hoosiers by the Numbers WARN Notices, Indiana Department of Workforce Development

## Unemployment Claims, February 2016

### Economic Growth Region (EGR) 11

#### Initial Claims

February 6th - 229<sup>D</sup>  
February 13th - 201<sup>D</sup>  
February 20th - 183<sup>D</sup>  
February 27th - 205<sup>D</sup>

#### Continued Claims

February 6th - 1,785  
February 13th - 1,849  
February 20th - 1,739  
February 27th - 1,680

#### Total Claims

February 6th - 2,014  
February 13th - 2,050  
February 20th - 1,922  
February 27th - 1,885

D' indicates item is affected by non-disclosure issues relating to industry or ownership status.

### State of Indiana

#### Initial Claims

February 6th - 3,723  
February 13th - 3,300  
February 20th - 3,208  
February 27th - 3,240

#### Continued Claims

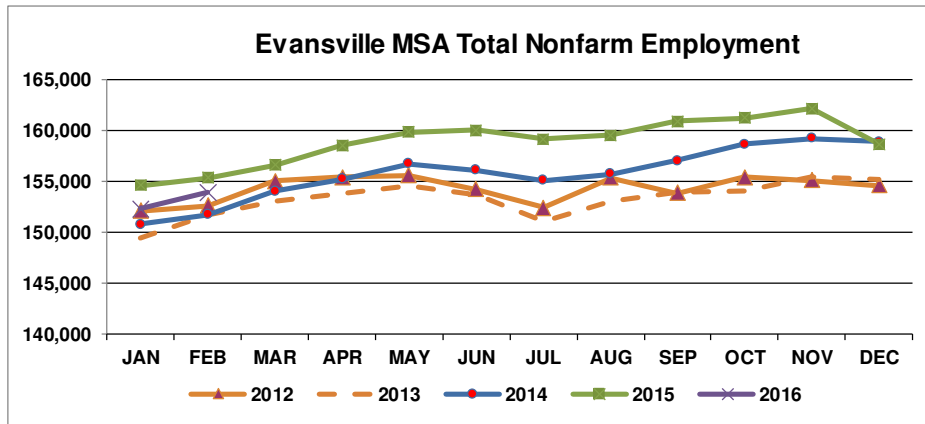
February 6th - 33,174  
February 13th - 33,514  
February 20th - 33,006  
February 27th - 31,388

#### Total Claims

February 6th - 36,897  
February 13th - 36,814  
February 20th - 36,214  
February 27th - 34,628

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet:  
<http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm>



Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics

Evansville MSA							
Wage and Salaried Employment, February 2016				Number Change	Percent Change	Number Change	Percent Change
Industry	Feb-16	Jan-16	Feb-15	Jan-16 to Feb-16		Feb-15 to Feb-16	
<b>Total Nonfarm Employment</b>	<b>153,900</b>	<b>152,300</b>	<b>155,300</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>-1,400</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>
<b>Total Private Employment</b>	<b>136,800</b>	<b>135,800</b>	<b>138,100</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>-1,300</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>
<b>Goods Producing</b>	<b>32,600</b>	<b>32,300</b>	<b>32,900</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>-300</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>
---Mining, Logging, Construction	10,000	10,000	10,100	0	0.0%	-100	-1.0%
---Manufacturing	22,600	22,300	22,800	300	1.4%	-200	-0.9%
Durable Goods	8,900	8,900	9,000	0	0.0%	-100	-1.1%
<b>Service Providing</b>	<b>121,300</b>	<b>120,000</b>	<b>122,400</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>1.1%</b>	<b>-1,100</b>	<b>-0.9%</b>
<b>Private Service Providing</b>	<b>104,200</b>	<b>103,500</b>	<b>105,200</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>0.7%</b>	<b>-1,000</b>	<b>-1.0%</b>
---Trade, Transp, & Utilities	29,600	29,500	30,300	100	0.3%	-700	-2.3%
Wholesale Trade	6,300	6,300	6,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Retail Trade	15,900	15,800	16,700	100	0.6%	-800	-4.8%
Gen Merch Stores	3,700	3,700	3,700	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Transp/Warehousing/Utils	7,400	7,400	7,300	0	0.0%	100	1.4%
---Information	1,600	1,600	1,700	0	0.0%	-100	-5.9%
---Financial Activities	4,700	4,800	4,800	-100	-2.1%	-100	-2.1%
---Professional & Business	17,300	17,100	18,200	200	1.2%	-900	-5.0%
---Educational & Health	28,200	27,900	27,500	300	1.1%	700	2.6%
Health Care/Social Assist.	25,400	25,300	24,700	100	0.4%	700	2.8%
Hospitals	10,100	10,000	9,800	100	1.0%	300	3.1%
---Leisure & Hospitality	15,200	15,000	15,200	200	1.3%	0	0.0%
---Other Services	7,600	7,600	7,500	0	0.0%	100	1.3%
<b>Government</b>	<b>17,100</b>	<b>16,500</b>	<b>17,200</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>-100</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>
---Federal Government	1,300	1,300	1,300	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
---State Government	4,300	4,100	4,300	200	4.9%	0	0.0%
---Local Government	11,500	11,100	11,600	400	3.6%	-100	-0.9%
Local Govt Educ Svcs	7,000	6,600	7,100	400	6.1%	-100	-1.4%

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics

Counties include: Gibson, Posey, Vanderburgh & Warrick IN and Henderson & Webster KY

## Frequently Listed Jobs Region 11

### Top 20 Job listings by number of Openings for February 2016

- 1 Production Workers, All Other
- 2 Security Guards
- 3 Transportation Vehicle, Equipment and Systems Inspectors, Except Aviation
- 4 Team Assemblers
- 5 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand
- 6 Building Cleaning Workers, All Other
- 7 Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks
- 8 Cooks, Restaurant
- 9 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard
- 10 Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders
- 11 Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators
- 12 Waiters and Waitresses
- 13 Helpers--Production Workers
- 14 Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners
- 15 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other
- 16 Occupational Therapy Aides
- 17 Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food
- 18 Customer Service Representatives
- 19 Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses
- 20 Registered Nurses

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect



# Future Demand

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## Side-by-Side Comparison in 2022

<u>Employment and Openings</u>	EGR 1	EGR 2	EGR 3	EGR 4	EGR 5	EGR 6	EGR 7	EGR 8	EGR 9	EGR 10	EGR 11	Indiana
Projected Occupational Employment	344,647	321,380	354,920	210,766	1,028,801	127,149	92,453	127,737	151,700	115,108	229,550	3,148,886
Average Annual Openings	11,089	10,333	10,845	6,557	35,446	3,936	2,981	4,216	5,083	4,023	7,239	100,558
Openings to Fill by 2022	110,890	103,330	108,450	65,570	354,460	39,360	29,810	42,160	50,830	40,230	72,390	1,005,580
Growth Rate	11.40%	12.90%	9.10%	10.10%	15.80%	9.50%	11.70%	12.60%	14.80%	16.00%	11.30%	12.00%
<u>Job Growth by Educational Requirement</u>	EGR 1	EGR 2	EGR 3	EGR 4	EGR 5	EGR 6	EGR 7	EGR 8	EGR 9	EGR 10	EGR 11	Indiana
Less Than a H.S. Diploma	10.20%	10.80%	8.70%	8.80%	13.50%	9.10%	11.20%	10.30%	13.00%	14.70%	10.50%	11.00%
H.S. Diploma	9.90%	12.20%	8.20%	9.80%	14.20%	9.20%	11.50%	11.60%	14.00%	15.20%	10.90%	11.50%
Post Secondary Certificate or Some College	12.10%	13.80%	9.80%	11.10%	16.80%	10.30%	12.20%	13.70%	15.80%	16.50%	12.20%	12.60%
Associate Degree	14.10%	14.10%	10.60%	11.20%	18.30%	10.60%	12.30%	15.30%	16.40%	17.80%	12.40%	14.00%
Bachelor's Degree	12.20%	13.40%	8.80%	9.70%	17.30%	9.00%	11.50%	14.20%	15.70%	17.80%	11.20%	11.40%
Advanced Degrees	16.10%	15.50%	12.70%	12.40%	20.30%	10.90%	14.00%	15.30%	17.90%	18.80%	12.80%	14.20%
<u>Job Distribution by Educational Requirement</u>	EGR 1	EGR 2	EGR 3	EGR 4	EGR 5	EGR 6	EGR 7	EGR 8	EGR 9	EGR 10	EGR 11	Indiana
Less Than a H.S. Diploma	14.70%	13.10%	13.90%	14.20%	13.60%	14.20%	14.40%	14.30%	13.70%	15.30%	14.30%	13.90%
H.S. Diploma	36.20%	38.20%	37.80%	37.00%	35.90%	36.00%	36.90%	34.50%	38.60%	37.80%	37.50%	36.80%
Post Secondary Certificate or Some College	17.20%	16.60%	16.70%	16.10%	16.10%	16.50%	16.10%	15.60%	16.60%	16.10%	16.70%	16.40%
Associate Degree	7.90%	7.10%	7.60%	7.20%	8.20%	8.00%	7.40%	7.60%	7.30%	7.30%	7.80%	7.80%
Bachelor's Degree	13.60%	14.30%	14.10%	14.10%	15.60%	14.10%	14.10%	15.50%	14.00%	13.00%	13.80%	14.60%
Advanced Degrees	8.00%	7.40%	7.30%	8.10%	8.10%	8.40%	8.10%	9.30%	7.00%	7.00%	7.20%	7.80%



Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Research & Analysis, Long-term Projections

Hoosiers by the Numbers

[www.hoosierdata.in.gov](http://www.hoosierdata.in.gov)

**Future Demand** is a new tool added to our Hoosiers by the Numbers website. The Indiana Occupational Projections (Long-Term) provide estimates of current and projected occupational employment for a 10-year period. With this tool you can get: an **Overview** - of selected geography and occupations with graphs and pie charts of Openings by Educational Requirements, Projected Jobs by Educational Requirements and Projected Jobs by Occupations.

**Comparisons** - You can compare regions side by side along with state data. **Detailed Data** - You will find Projected Demand, Average Annual Openings, Annual New Openings, Annual Replacement Openings, Wages and Current On-line Job Ads.

## Applicant Pool Region 11

### Top Twenty Occupations Desired by Applicants on their Resumes in the Past 12 Months

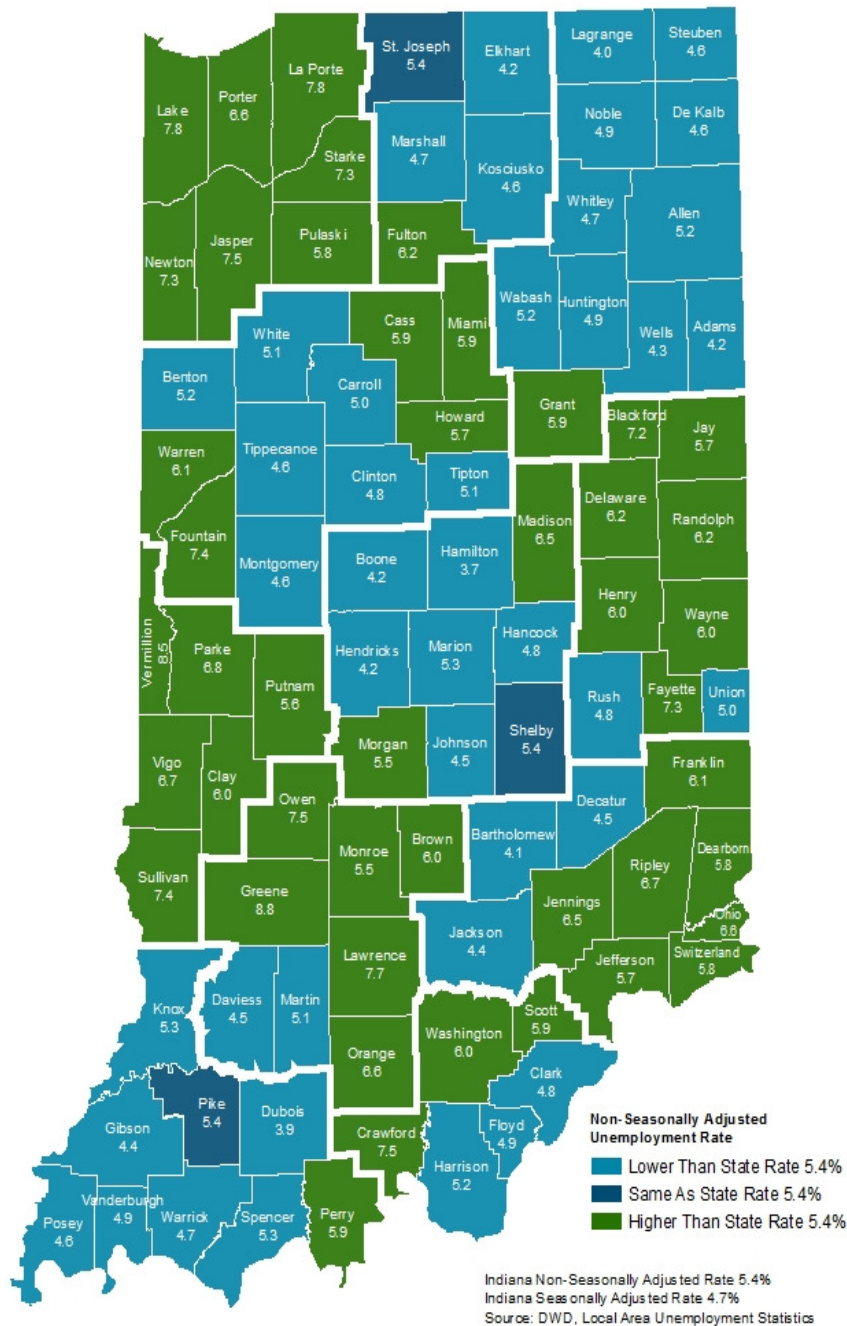
1	Production Workers, All Other	510
2	Helpers--Production Workers	237
3	Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other	199
4	Customer Service Representatives	171
5	Office Clerks, General	145
6	Cashiers	128
7	Nursing Assistants	101
8	Administrative Services Managers	95
9	Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	92
10	Managers, All Other	81
11	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	79
12	Receptionists and Information Clerks	76
13	Construction Laborers	73
14	First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	68
15	Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other	67
16	Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants	65
17	Team Assemblers	64
18	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	60
19	Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	57
20	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	53

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect





# County Unemployment Rates February 2016



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